

## SEEKING SUCKERS.

How a Self-Constituted Spanish Priest Works Them.

## PRESIDENT HARRISON TRIED

By the Scheming Spaniard—Some of the Others He Has Attempted to Catch Later for a Few Thousand Dollars Each.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—For several years past attempts have been made to victimize people of prominence in the United States by playing upon their credulity at the expense of their purses. Just who the would-be swindlers are and to what extent they have succeeded, is not known, but sufficient data has drifted into the Department of State to indicate that these operations have been conducted on a broad scale, and that the leader in them is intelligent and well acquainted with the affairs of the persons selected for victims. Whether there is only one man, or whether he has co-conspirators, it is not to be determined, although the indications point to co-operation.

The fraudulent schemes were of the same general plan, but details are varied infinitely to meet the character of the victims. As a rule he is a person who some time had a slight acquaintance with a Spaniard. He receives a letter from a Spanish priest telling him that a large sum of money has been deposited in the name of his name on condition that he will assume the duties of a priest for a certain period of time. He is told that the money is to be used for the benefit of the church, and that he is to receive a salary of \$5,000 per annum. He is told that the money is to be used for the benefit of the church, and that he is to receive a salary of \$5,000 per annum.

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The next person named in the victim list was a man named John G. Davis, a prominent citizen of the United States. He was told that a large sum of money had been deposited in the name of his name on condition that he would assume the duties of a priest for a certain period of time. He was told that the money was to be used for the benefit of the church, and that he was to receive a salary of \$5,000 per annum.

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It appears that in this case, as in the case of the other victims, the Spanish priest was the one who was the most successful. He was able to get the money from the victims, and he was able to get the money from the victims.

Called down by a Washington Brother, Sister Against White House Ladies.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—Editor Schade, of the Washington Sentinel, administers this rebuke to some of his party papers:

"The attack by some newspapers, amongst them some of the leading German-American, directly on the White House, is a mean piece of business. The allegation that Mrs. Dimmick is a salaried employe (house-keeper) at the White House is a mean piece of business. The allegation that Mrs. Dimmick is a salaried employe (house-keeper) at the White House is a mean piece of business.

"We are, politically, bitterly opposed to Mr. Harrison. We fight him, and the ladies of his family we respect, especially as it is well known that they do not meddle with politics or intrude their personalities before the sphere of their domestic duties.

"Our contemporaries ought to feel ashamed of themselves for such attacks on ladies who have to submit quietly, as in such a contest they are perfectly helpless."

## SENATOR FAULKNER

Denies that the Hearst Funeral Committee Behaved Badly—Personal Points.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—Senator Faulkner returned from his trip to the Pacific coast with the Hearst funeral committee on Friday. He had himself interviewed at once on the subject of the alleged disgraceful performance of the funeral committee en route. It was commonly reported that the committee had been more than ordinarily profuse in the matter of the funeral, and that the funeral had been a disgraceful one.

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Senator Faulkner's wife has been quite ill of late, and has only lately recovered from a severe attack of illness. He is now suffering from a severe attack of illness, and is now suffering from a severe attack of illness.

Mr. Wilson's Speaker's boom is very much under cover at present. He is now suffering from a severe attack of illness, and is now suffering from a severe attack of illness.

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CONFIRMS THE STORY RELATIVE TO WEST VIRGINIA CENTRAL EXTENSIONS.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 29.—Henry G. Davis, President of the West Virginia Central, says that the arrangements are about complete for the extension of the line from Pittsburgh, this affording a direct line from Lynchburg, Va., to Pittsburgh. The extension will tap four great systems of railroads. The West Virginia Central will then have as feeders the Norfolk & Western at Lynchburg, and the Chesapeake & Potomac at Washington, D. C.

AN ENGLISH SYNDICATE.

Headquarters to Buy a Big and Rich Company in the South.

CHATTANOOGA, March 29.—An English syndicate is trying to buy out the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway Company, the largest and richest corporation of the kind in the South. The fact was learned from trustworthy information. The English syndicate is the same one which has deposited \$500,000 in the bank of the town in the Sequoyia Valley, Tennessee.

The Galea Finally Plotted.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., March 29.—The United States steamer Galea was finally plotted off Gayhead at 10 o'clock this morning and arrived here in tow at 2 p. m. This morning a fresh wind occasioned considerable swell, causing the ship to rise and fall in her dock, thereby enabling the tide to haul her aboard. The Galea is a fine ship, and is a fine ship.

The Mickey Brown Goes to Paris.

St. Louis, March 29.—President Oliver has returned from Paris, and announces that the Mickey Brown is a fine ship, and is a fine ship.

## INTERESTING MANIFEST.

Resume of Some of the Things Shipped

## TO SOUTH AMERICAN LANDS

From this Country—Manufactured Articles and Farm Products Galore—All Sections Take a Hand in Contributing—One Cargo.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 29.—The manifest of the last cargo of the Brazilian Mail Steamship Finance, which Postmaster General Wadsworth has just had an opportunity to look over, shows invoices to the value of over \$300,000, from many different quarters the cargo was made up, and what a great diversity of products is taken out to the South American countries. The Finance sailed from New York to St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia, Rio and Santos, by way of Newport News. Five hundred cases of land were on their way from Ohio to Rio; 10 boxes of empty bottles and no end of druggists' glassware went from New Jersey; and from New York Central and West Shore lines.

President Depew, of the New York Central, said yesterday that it would be a good thing for both companies. The arrangement would give the Canadian Pacific a transcontinental line from New York to Vancouver, and the foreign trade would bring business to New York.

A NERVOUS WHISK.

A Train Load of Pensive Seekers Thrown Over an Embankment.

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## THE HEAVIEST SNOW KNOWN

At Martinsburg—The Storm Lasted Thirty-Hour—Trains Delayed.

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MARTINSBURG, W. Va., March 29.—It is agreed that the snow storm which ceased here yesterday evening at three o'clock, was the heaviest ever known in this country. It lasted thirty-nine hours and it is estimated that about six feet fell, but as it melted almost as fast as it fell, it was only about two feet when it ceased.

IT IS A TRUNK LINE.

Out From New York—The Canadian Pacific's Entrance to the Metropolis.

NEW YORK, March 29.—The Canadian Pacific is now a full-fledged trunk line out of New York city. It will come down from Brooklyn by way of the Roms, Watertown & Ogdensburg to Utica, then by the New York Central and West Shore lines.

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Such is the View of Rev. Howard MacQuarry

Regarding the Finding

Against Him—He Declares that He is Still an Episcopalian—Some New Correspondence Given to the Public.

JACKSONVILLE, N. Y., March 29.—Rev. Howard MacQuarry, the heretical Episcopal minister of Canton, O., who is filling the pulpit of the Independent Congregational Church here two Sundays, has consented to the publication of matters not heretofore made public.

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## THE DEEPEST WELL

In the United States is What Prof. White Proposes.

LOCATION OF THE STRATUM

Under which the Oil and Gas of Canada are Found. Some Good Reasons why the Bogg's Run Well Should Go Deeper.

Hon. N. B. Scott, who has taken a lively interest in the well of the Wheeling Development Company, and who with Mr. J. C. Brady and Prof. J. C. White made an examination of the well last week as stated in the Intelligencer at the time, has received the following letter from Prof. White:

"My Dear Sir:—I have looked over the question as to how deep you would have to go on Bogg's Run to reach the Corrie limestone, the great oil and gas rock of the Enakelien fields in Canada, and I find the question somewhat uncertain. The nearest point to Wheeling where the Corrie limestone is found is at Akron and Massillon, Ohio. At Akron the depth to the top of Corrie limestone was 2,125 feet, and this would correspond to about 3,300 feet at Bogg's Run, where the Corrie limestone is found.

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## SOME IRISH POLITICS.

With Stones and Blackthorn Sticks They Fight.

ALL THE ROW ABOUT PARNELL

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